

HOUSE BILL NO. 92

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES

Introduced: 3/1/23

Referred: House Special Committee on Fisheries, Labor and Commerce

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to claims against protection and indemnity insurance policies of vessel**
2 **owners."**

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 * **Section 1.** AS 23.35.145 is amended to read:

5 **Sec. 23.35.145. Claim of vessel owner.** If a fisherman files a claim for
6 benefits under this chapter and also files a claim against the protection and indemnity
7 insurance policy of the vessel owner, the vessel owner is entitled to receive a benefit,
8 not to exceed the amount of the actual loss, that is the lesser of

9 (1) the full amount of the protection and indemnity insurance policy
10 deductible; or

11 (2) **\$10,000** [\$5,000].